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Better Quality Undervests in all
Ladies' sizes, short or no sleeves;
Prices from..... 35c

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Strong wearing Black Cotton Hose for Boys; Per Pair..... 25c
Misses' and Ladies' Fine Cotton Hose, oddments; To Clear..... 2 for 25c
Women's Black Cotton Hose..... 25c
Lisle Hose, good qualities, from..... 35c
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Millinery Clearance

We are not quite giving the last-ov- Millinery Shapes away,
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Better Quality Combinations for Men, including Suits of Silk
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\$3.00 to \$6.00

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Fresh Cows,
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Two Ayrshire Bulls pure-bred, excellent dairy stock; inquire of Winslow and Stanley. (J9-4p)

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Four first-class offices to rent. Steam heated, immediate possession. Apply H. A. Day, Lacombe. (J2-3c)

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WANTED

Agents to sell Malleable Ranges on easy terms, in city. Apply (giving box number), 714 2nd St. W., Calgary.

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I want 30 acres of breaking done this season. Apply, E. Walter Simpson, Lacombe. Rural Phone. (J11-1f)

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One Black Mare, white strip in face, no brand; reward for information—E. L. Reynolds, Clive.

PINTO MARE LOST

Pinto Mare, 3 years old, red stripe on back from ears to tail; no brands. Last seen with 2-year-old filly and yearling stallion colt, and a sorrel mare. Reward for information or delivery to Thos. Reynolds, Wauville. (J2-4p)

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A. Briggs wishes to announce that he has opened a feed stable at Morningstides. Special attention given to farmers' teams at reasonable rates. When in Morningstides put your team up at this barn. (J2-4p)

NOTICE

All accounts due the late firm of Ziehl and Skeels must be settled on or before the 31st day of July, or legal steps will be taken to collect same. Make all payments to C. B. Ziehl, at the old stand on Hamilton Ave. East. (J9-3c)

FLOUR-FLOUR

Now is the time to buy your flour before it goes higher. It has already gone up \$1.00 per barrel in the east and may still go higher. We have quite a lot of flour on hand at present and can make you a good price now on 500 lb. lots or more—DAN. NER MILLING CO.

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Excursion rates on all railroads.

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Having leased these stables from P. H. Winter, I am now prepared to do a general livery and feed business.

Special attention paid to farmers' business and feeding. On Sunday evening those attending church may stable their horses free at the barn.

General trading of all kinds. TERMS REASONABLE.

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comes from where the cattle have the best of pastures and are well cared for and tended. Like our Lamb, Mutton, Veal, Pork and Poultry, they are the production of skillful and experienced stock raisers, who know that good meats cannot be furnished by poorly raised stock.

This is why our meats are invariably fresher, tender and luscious. For those who like a generous, table, Cattle & Slaughtering market offers the finest essentials.

COLE & SLATER
Telephone 15
Lacombe Alberta

I have the agency for Monarch Ranges again and have them on hand at 25 per cent. lower than you can buy them elsewhere—O. Boode, Nanton Nanton St. (M28-f)

A meeting for the purpose of organizing a Country Club will be held in the Town Hall, Lacombe, on Thursday, July 31, at 2 p.m. All women of the Lacombe district interested in the matter are requested to be present.

A. H. Randler is holding an unreserved sale of cattle and horses at the Great West Livery Stables on Thursday, Aug. 2. See bills. C. F. Damour, auctioneer.

BRITISH REPORT ON AGRICULTURAL CREDIT AND CO-OPERATION IN GERMANY

The British Board of Agriculture and Fisheries has just published a very valuable report on agricultural credit, co-operation and co-operative insurance in Germany.

The report is by Mr. J. R. Cahill, who was commissioned by the board to undertake a study of the various co-operative movements in Germany.

The author visited the various co-operative organizations and discussed the principles and methods of working, attended general and committee meetings of societies and was present at their annual meetings.

In his preliminary note Mr. Cahill says:

"In Germany landowners obtain mortgage loans through a variety of special institutions for mortgage credit, at least in regard to the total outstanding loans obtained through such agencies may be estimated at approximately \$4,000,000,000.

The organization of institutional mortgage credit has been facilitated by the complete system of registration of title and by the completeness of its mortgage law. Compulsory registration of title, as it exists in Germany, Austria, Hungary and Russia, at least, compulsory registration of deeds (as in France, Belgium, Holland, and other European countries, as well as in America and British India), appears as indispensable prerequisites for the construction of a system under which landowners may obtain mortgage credit on suitable terms by the creation of land bonds which would rank as first-class securities in the general market."

"The von Muel, the late distinguished Minister of Finance in Prussia, declared some seventeen years ago in parliament: 'This must be our goal—to have a co-operative loan bond in practical use by the farmer, the small mortgagor, the small landowner.'"

There are in Germany 17,000 agricultural co-operative banks with a total membership of over one and a half millions. In 1910 the total assets of these banks amounted to \$453,076,480, while the savings deposits totalled \$450,129,000, and the deposits on current, \$59,912,000.

The second and third management of these societies are evidenced by the fact that in the sixteen years, 1896 to 1910, 19 rural credit societies were involved in bankruptcy; a remarkable record when it is recalled that since 1901 there have been over 10,000 and since 1909 over 15,000 societies of this kind in Germany. Comparing them with other banking and credit undertakings, one finds that the frequency of bankruptcy per 10,000 such undertakings over the period 1896-1905 was 55 times more frequent than with the credit societies.

About 90 per cent. of these rural banks are affiliated to the central banks, which are organized according to provinces or states. At the end of 1911 there were affiliated to 27 central banks 17,508 societies of all kinds, of which 14,505 were credit banks, and the total turnover of these central banks in the year amounted to \$1,098,604,000. Since 1896 there has been in Prussia a central bank for the central banks; namely, the Prussian State Operative Central Bank. The state has endowed this bank with a total capital of \$18,262,500.

The great system of German rural co-operative credit as we see it has not been created in a day, and it is hardly to be expected that the work of establishing a similar system would progress more slowly in this country. (Great Britain) than in Germany, especially if it is accompanied by the necessary propaganda could be set in operation. Only through such local organizations would it seem possible to establish the close contact that must exist between lender and borrower if small farmers are to be in a position to obtain credit on suitable terms."

The appendices to the report are of special value. The most important laws on agricultural co-operation and credit, including the German Co-operative Societies Act, have been translated.

PRELUDE WHEAT.

The remark is often made that science has now perfected varieties of wheat to that extent where further improvement in any one particular branch, such as earliness, will result in deterioration of some other character, such as quality. The Dominion Farm experts at Ottawa are still hopeful, and such succeeding year shows they have every right to look forward to even better varieties than their latest production.

Although a variety which leaves little to be desired as a main crop variety for many sections in the west, it is not early enough to fill the wants of all districts, and, therefore, the Dominion Farm experts are endeavoring to introduce at least two new sorts, one ripening a week earlier and the other two weeks ahead of Marquis. There are ten or twenty very promising new sorts of wheat under test, and it is expected that within a week, ahead of Marquis. In the earliest group of all, the number of new varieties is much smaller. The best sort among those which have been sufficiently studied is designated throughout Saskatchewan and Alberta. This new wheat has been named Prelude, since it ripens at the very beginning of the wheat harvest. Its history may be traced as follows:

In the year 1886 a systematic and extensive series of experiments in the cross-breeding of wheats for the production of new varieties especially adapted to Canadian conditions was inaugurated by the Dominion Farm experts, between Lacombe, Saskatchewan and White River. From this cross arose the variety Alpha. In the year 1893 Alpha was crossed by Dr. A. P. Saunders with one of the wheats present in the commercial market known as Red Fife. The result of this cross was a variety named Prelude. From this cross a variety was derived to which the name of Fraser was given. In 1903 the Dominion Farm experts crossed a very early ripening wheat from India (known as the name of Ghum) with Fraser. Prelude is one of the selections made from the progeny of this cross.

Prelude is an extremely early ripening wheat producing about 25 bushels per acre. The heads are bearded, the awns being frequently of a dark color. The chaff is yellowish and downy. The kernels are red, rather exceptionally hard, and are remarkably smooth. The flour produced from this wheat is of the popular granular type and of very high baking strength. In two series of baking trials, it was found that it was superior to Red Fife in strength, and in one series it stood at the head of the list of all varieties tested. The color of the flour is slightly darker than Red Fife or Marquis. Prelude has been grown for several years at Ottawa and for one season at Brandon and Indian Head. It gives a good yield, but must not be expected to compete in this regard with Marquis or Red Fife under conditions which are favorable to these later sorts. It will certainly outyield the later varieties in localities which are subject to destructive early frosts.

During the two years in which Prelude has been grown at Ottawa, it has given a yield of 314 bushels per acre. Last year at Brandon it matured in 94 days from seeding and was cut on July 21. It averaged 26 bushels per acre. At Indian Head it required 113 days to mature, while Marquis required 131 days and Red Fife 135 days. Prelude at Indian Head was cut August 10, and gave a crop at the rate of 31 bushels per acre.

Although Prelude may not live up to its early promises, it will not cost much time or trouble to get one's name on the mailing list at Ottawa. If the variety does make good, those who have been awake will be able to profit by the certain demand for seed.

THE INTERDEPENDENCE OF THE DIFFERENT PARTS OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE

In Canada we have so long accepted the support and defence of the Empire as a matter of course, that we can hardly conceive of the possibility of that help failing or proving inadequate. We may receive a rude awakening from our dream. The Empire will continue to be all that we have believed it to be only by conforming to new conditions.

It has often been asked what have we returned to our connection with England. The first and chief has been a direct financial benefit. When money has been needed in Canada, or almost any other place in the world, it has simply been a case of going to London to borrow it. But the bottom of the deepest purse can be reached, and the bottom of the British purse has been found. No longer can England extend unlimited loans to all corners. Like the banks, they will henceforth select their creditors carefully. And not only those who are able to pay, but good investments will be selected, but those who in addition to being good risks have a "pull" with Great Britain.

Meanwhile England feels that she can no longer play the game of a great Empire with a number of Colonies. Only by forming a Confederation of those Colonies, giving each of them a status equal to the Mother Country, can she meet the competition of the future.

What is more natural than that the union should be consummated. The young and vigorous portions of the Empire bearing their part of the burden of Empire and the financial care of the Motherland, the old and decrepit portions of the Empire bearing their part of the burden of Empire and the financial care of the Motherland.

It may surprise some to know that even this year Canada could not harvest and market her crop without the help of the British Empire. It is certain that without the Empire's government without her aid, or secure money for great enterprises, but when it comes to being unable to market our grain and our fruit, it is a different matter. Time has come for us to stand in with the parties who have the money. A closer union is necessary to one party as it is to the other.

The different parts of the Empire are preparing to do more business with each other. Two merchants on the same street may help each other by each supplying the other with goods that may be lacking for the time. Two farmers may do considerable business with each other. But in each case it is simply a preparation for a larger business with parties in other places and other business. We must buy from those who are preparing to do more business with each other. We must buy from those who are preparing to do more business with each other.

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Farm Lands For Sale

The following list of farm lands gives a short description of farms located in the prosperous and famous Lacombe district. A careful, detailed and accurate description will be cheerfully furnished many terms on this list. You are sure to make good use of any of the places with any reasonable effort and very little capital.

Please remember to place the full address on your letter or card as follows:

F. S. LEWIS,
McLure Block,
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PRICE \$10 PER ACRE.
No. 66—New Blackfolds, N. E. 1 Sec. 23, Tp. 39, R. 26, W. 4th. Terms, four cash.

PRICE \$2,000 FOR QUARTER.
New Blinney, N.E. 1 Sec. 8, Tp. 42, R. 2, W. 5th, 160 acres. New land, all open, spring creek, school half mile, telephone. Terms, \$500 cash.

PRICE \$3,300 FOR QUARTER.
No. 65—S.E. 1 Sec. 9, Tp. 41, R. 26, W. 4th, 168 acres, R.R. siding on land, 90 acres under plow, and black, sandy, loam, well and spring creek, frame barn 14x32, log granary, school half mile, 3-wire fence. Terms, Half Cash balance easy.

PRICE \$1,500 FOR QUARTER.
No. 64—N.E. 1 Sec. 1, Tp. 41, R. 26, W. 4th, 160 acres, 160 acres raw land, 120 open soil is black sandy loam and clay subsoil, four acres of lake in centre of land, fenced 2-wire fence, rank growth of wild prairie and vetch. Terms are cash. It is offered at this low price to get the money. One of the bargains on the list.

PRICE \$25 PER ACRE.
No. 63—133 acres three-quarters of a mile from Blackfolds, 35 acres under plow, a nice clover farm, finest kind of soil, small frame house, Terms, \$1,500 cash balance easy.

PRICE \$10 PER ACRE.
No. 62—160 acres of gently rolling land, 60 acres in plow land, black loam, good well, log house, 6,000 feet of lumber to build with. Terms, \$1,000 down.

PRICE \$20 PER ACRE.
No. 61—160 acres 8 miles from Ponoka, 80 acres in crop, out 20 loads of hay, a gently rolling quarter right on the hog back, black loam, a good well, half deep, clay subsoil, good well, frame house, log stable for 50 head, cow shed, rural route telephone. Look at the price again—\$20—Half down balance time.

\$5,500 FOR HALF SECTION.
Near Bentley, 320 acres of fine land, 100 open, some timber, balance wood, great grass country. Terms, \$1,100 cash; balance time.

PRICE \$10 PER ACRE.
No. 59—N.W. 1 Sec. 12, Tp. 41, R. 2, W. 5th, 160 acres of land, 20 acres of Spruce and Tamarack, and all balance a fine district, 14 acres can be cultivated, 2-wire fence, school half mile, and a good investment, very small tax. Terms, \$1,650 time, or \$1,600 for cash.

PRICE \$25 PER ACRE.
No. 58—160 acres, 80 acres open, 175,000 feet of spruce timber, small stream. Terms, \$500 cash. C.N.R. within 10 rods of this land it might be a town-site.

PRICE \$25 PER ACRE.
162 acres, 80 under crop, 8 acres slow, good spring and well, log-house, collar, log stable, shingled roof, for all cash at \$23.50 per acre.

PRICE \$25 PER ACRE.
All of Sec. 25, Tp. 39, R. 26, W. 4th, a nice laying section at a fair price, good terms.

PRICE \$25 PER ACRE.
All of Sec. 7, Tp. 40, R. 26, W. 4th, close in, a very fine investment, buy it and see your money grow.

Prices on the above list I believe to be under the actual value of these farms. Out this list, you may need it to remember what the land in this district was selling for in this year of 1913. Any of these lands are cheap at \$20 per acre, increase in value will be more rapid in the coming five years than in the ten years passed. It is selling too cheap, but if you are bound to sell I would like you to list it.

F. S. LEWIS,
McLure Block, Lacombe, Sunny Alberta, Canada.

P.S.—Don't forget that we haven't fence, nor roadway, and everything points to a bumper crop.

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Dr. Hynes has returned from a trip to B. C. cities.

Mrs. Bowser and children are visiting friends in Edmonton.

Mrs. J. C. Peters is away on a two weeks' visit to a sister at Pincher Creek.

Regular \$7.00 Morris Chair now \$5.75 at Morrison & Johnston's, Ltd.

A closing out price on Screen Doors, at the Lacombe Furniture Store.

G. J. Macfarlane, of Calgary, was a visitor at the Store cottage, Gull Lake, this week.

Mrs. Caldwell and the Misses Caldwell left on Monday for a visit to friends at High River.

The Rest Room in the Comet Theatre is re-opened for the use of ladies in the town or country.

Would you pick up \$1.75 in the street? Would you buy a \$5.00 Safety Razor for 25c. See Lacombe Drug Co. Window.

Mrs. E. M. Crooker, of Keremeos, B.C., is visiting friends and relatives in and around Lacombe.

See the Lacombe Furniture Store for good Beds, Springs, and Mattresses.

Take advantage of our Discount on Furniture this month. Morrison & Johnston, Ltd.

Mrs. Henry Elliott, of Pleasant Valley, spent Sunday with Mrs. P. R. Banks.

Miss Grace Hoscoe, of St. Mary's, Ont., is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Leslie.

Miss Bravich, of Edmonton, paid a short visit to her sister, Mrs. G. Kaiser, the first of the week. She is now on her way to Ontario.

A new supply of Fancy Hemstitched Sheets, Pillow Cases, and Fancy White Spreads just in at the Lacombe Furniture Store.

Leave your orders for "Folding Baths" at the Lacombe Furniture Store; you can't afford to be without one.

Mark Cross Safety Razors, guaranteed if not satisfactory after using, money refunded. On sale Friday and Saturday at Lacombe Drug Co., Ltd.

One Refrigerator left, regular \$30, now \$24—Morrison & Johnston, Ltd.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard, of Bowden, spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. R. Ramsey, of Lacombe.

Mr. Godfrey, on Tuesday brought in the first load of baled timothy of this year's crop to reach town. He sold it to Stanley & Winslow, who are shipping two carloads. The price paid was \$13.00 per ton.

To introduce the Mark-Cross Safety Razor, we will sell on Friday and Saturday of this week 100 of these Razors at 25c. each—Lacombe Drug Co., Ltd.

Miss Silverthorne, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. F. Kenney, left on Saturday for Edmonton and Winnipeg, and from there will return to her home in Swan River, Man.

The C. P. R. has men at work leveling a piece of land south of the station and preparing it for a flower garden. A beauty spot there will materially improve the appearance of the railway front.

The Lacombe Furniture Store are agents for the Gurney Stoves and Ranges; see our line of Ranges before buying.

Paroid Roofing in all quantities, the best ready roofing. For sale at Morrison & Johnston's, Ltd.

W. S. Durrer purchased, through the F. S. Lewis Farm Land Agency, a cottage on Gull Lake from Mr. Denike. Mr. Durrer has recently installed a motor boat service on the Lake at the dock east of the Lake View Hotel.

The Gull Lake Council is getting down to work. A constable has been engaged to patrol the beach, the streets will be opened, teams will be prohibited from driving along the front beach, the use of firearms will also be placed under a ban, and other laws for the guidance of residents will be enacted.

A most enjoyable picnic was arranged by the Women's Auxiliary of Humber at the home of Mrs. Wilton on Saturday, July 12th. About 70 members and friends were present and all continued to make things bright and happy. It was the first of the kind, but we hope it will be continued each year in future, as these meetings are a great means of making pure, social life in a small community.

Mr. Hainsworth, of England, manager of the London & Midland Bank, who has been making a tour of the North American Continent, recently came to visit a son who lives in Spring Valley, and called upon Mr. P. R. Banks, of Lacombe, an old friend. After travelling the country over, he saw nothing that appealed to him until he came north of Calgary. The Lacombe district was the only one that in his eyes rivaled old England.

M. Mecklenburg, the eminent eye specialist, will visit Lacombe on Friday, August 8th, and can be found at the Adphi Hotel. Mr. Mecklenburg has had 26 years experience in the treatment of sight troubles, and asks all those who have troubles that other experts have failed to remedy, to call and see him. (J23-4f)

The Board of Trade is constantly receiving requests for information as to work to be obtained here. Although Lacombe is much more fortunate than most places in the amount of work that is going on, it is only fair that that work should go to local parties, and as there are enough men in the district to do all the work, no encouragement is given to those who send laborers here.

Many holidayers at the lake were amused and edified on Saturday night last, about midnight, at the sight of a young lady, accompanied by a well-known realty dealer of Lacombe, gliding serenely over the Hoonlight waters of Gull Lake. That the moon had affected the young man was evidenced by the poetic quotations wafted shoreward by the balmy breezes.

A C. N. R. wrecking crew put the Lacombe Electric Light Department out of commission on Saturday last. The train was taking a crane over the line and neglected to lower it while passing under the service wires into Lacombe. The result was that the wires were broken. The break in the line was not discovered until an attempt was made to turn on the current on Saturday evening, and it took the superintendent and a gang of men until three o'clock Sunday morning to repair the damage.

Postmaster Burris is very much exercised over an order from Ottawa to remove all advertising matter, except Dominion Government advertisements, from the post office. He has for so long been allowing everybody to use the walls of the post office as a billboard that he finds it hard now to refuse the privilege. But as it is not the post office presented a better appearance. A lot of bills in such a place is hardly in keeping with the dignity of a Government office. There is, however, a clash between the authorities. In municipal and school matters certain notices are required to be posted in the post office, and now a higher authority commands the Postmaster to prohibit the posting in the office of any such notices.

YEARLY STATISTICS.

The yearly report of the superintendent, Miss Pye, from July 1, 1912, to June 30, 1913. Patients admitted during year.....139 Patients died.....4 Patient, stillborn.....1 Births.....7 Operations.....74 Patients on register, June 30, 1913.....2

ANGLO-CHURCH.

Sunday, July 27—Service will be as follows: 11 a.m., H. C. Blackledge; 2 p.m., Hospital, Ponoka; 3:30 p.m., Ponoka; 7:30 p.m., Lacombe.

BORN.

MACRINSON—At Lacombe, on Sunday, July 20, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. H. MacRinson, of son. ALLEN—At Lacombe, on July 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. L. Allen, a daughter. GULL—At Spring Valley, on July 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Gull, a son. STEWART—At Lacombe, on July 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Stewart, a daughter.

GULL LAKE OFFICIALS.

The council of the new village of Gull Lake made the various appointments as follows: Sec.-Treas., S. Nicholson; Solicitor, Mr. A. M. MacDonald; Chief of Police, Mr. S. Morris.

RIMBEY

Mr. N. Adamson and family spent last week at Red Deer visiting their daughter.

Isidore Uhl has purchased the S.E. 1/4-42-3 of Jack Williams for the consideration of \$2,500.

Mr. Chas. Bowker attended the Synod at Calgary last week as a representative from the Anglican Church here.

Rev. Mitten and family are moving up from Bentley this week and taking possession of the new manse which has just been completed by Mr. Russell. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schaefer were in Lacombe on business last week.

The many friends of Mrs. Jas. Lockhart will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. Glenn Townsend and Robt. Winkle, of Calgary, are visiting at the home of the former's aunt, Mrs. S. Rimbe.

Mrs. John Rimbe, of Lacombe, spent last week with her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Bunch.

Mr. Jas. Jefferson left last Monday morning for Illinois, where he will spend a few weeks with relatives.

Henry Watt, with the assistance of a number of neighbors, is delivering hauled hay at Lacombe.

The local U.F.A. received another card of honor and 134th anniversary of the storming and destruction of the Bastille.

Mr. Joseph Tate has just returned from a trip from the Peace River and speaks in high praise of that country.

When the east and west Rimbeby ball teams met last Saturday afternoon there was "some" ball playing. Nine innings were played, resulting in defeat for the east side boys.

A large number of spectators were out to witness the game which was greatly enjoyed by all. Both sides were loyally supported by the suffragettes.

Special Kinds of Watches

We have Watches that strike the time on a bell. When you want the time in the dark simply press a slide and it rings out loud and clear: good 15 jewel. Price \$16.00.

Also Horse Timers with a long, extra second hand which starts, stops, or flies back to 0 by pressing a button.

Also Bracelet Watches in different kinds.

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Wittenburg News

A picnic was held at the Eastburn farm, all kinds of amusements. Mr. Judd Simmons and his bucking bronco was well worth seeing.

The day of war, married and single was won by the single men, and last, but not least, the lady's pony race. One cannot speak too highly of the rider, Miss Clara Simmons, but poor Buster, the Wittenburg young lady, was the victor.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummings have gone for a short holiday to visit in the Blindman Valley, Lacombe and other points.

We cannot speak too highly of the manner in which the Rimbeby writer spoke of our picnic, and also of the compliment paid to the Wittenburg young ladies, who are noted for being courteous and hospitable, and hope, with the hearty welcome our esteemed visitors received, they will return in increased numbers the next time we celebrate.

There was a service held last Sunday in the school house. Owing to wet weather, only a few attended. There will be services every two weeks.

Passing Events

Montreal's French residents are at this time celebrating the 134th anniversary of the storming and destruction of the Bastille.

France is this year faced by a debit balance of \$100,000,000. At Windsor, Eng., Wilfrid Kiaro, German dentist, was sentenced to five years penal servitude for espionage. He was said to be one of the cleverest spies in the German Foreign Service.

Major Churchill Cockburn, who won the V. C. in South Africa, has died from the effects of a kick from a horse at his farm, Graceland, Alta.

A Toronto man, Edward Murray, was charged with killing an electric train track at Los Angeles, Cal., due to mischievous boys sounding the whistle of a train while the conductor was absent. Fourteen persons lost their lives.

Mr. Pankhurst made an exciting escape from the London police in a taxi cab when they endeavored to arrest her. Miss Annie Kenney was re-arrested and taken to jail after a fight in which men and women took part.

Mr. Asquith, it is rumored, may take the vacant position of Lord Chief Justice, in order to obviate the difficulty at present existing.

A bill to endow poor families with more than three children under the age of 13, has passed the French Chamber. The annual grant will vary from \$12 to \$18 for each child.

Sir Edward Grey told the British House of Commons that it would be most difficult for the Concert of Europe to take any steps to end the war in the Balkans.

Mr. Mulhally-Deeley, a British M.P., has bought the site of St. George's Hospital, London, overlooking the gardens of Buckingham Palace, for \$2,300,000 and proposes to erect on the site a palatial hotel to cost \$6,250,000.

Four persons were killed, a fifth probably fatally injured, and a score of others hurt, when Baltimore and Ohio passenger No. 15, the Wheeling-Chicago express, westbound, crashed into a Cambridge and Byesville intersection street car at a crossing in East Cambridge, Ohio.

Gratton Morgan, first officer of the White Star Line Steamship "Cymric," and Captain Arthur G. Ayres, superintendent of the Sailors' Haven at Charleston, together with six men employed as freight handlers by the Boston and Maine Railway in Charleston, were drowned in the ship "Alberta" capsized off the Brewsters.

The King reviewed 109 ships on the "Murray" during his recent visit to Lacombe, the royal tender passing through an avenue of craft ten miles long.

After experimenting for five years with a range finder invented by A. Bamberford, Police, the British Admiralty has refused to accept it for the British Navy. The inventor has therefore patented the apparatus, and will seek to dispose of it to some foreign nation. The Naval Annual, in commenting on the subject, says that it is at a loss to account for the decision of the Admiralty, as experiments have proved the range finder to be the only accurate one in existence.

Burton E. Baker, inventor of the Baker X-Ray tube and other machines of that type, died at Hartford, Conn., following an illness since last September, while three or four more than nine operations were made by scientists in Philadelphia, New York and Hartford in a vain effort to save his life. He was virtually a victim of constant exposure to the X-Ray, and despite warnings of his danger four years ago, he kept at his work until he had perfected one of the very best machines on the market.

The bill to abolish plural voting at elections in the British Isles passed its third reading in the House of Commons after a motion to reject the bill had been defeated 293 to 222. This bill passed its first reading on April 8th by a vote of 303 to 107. It embodies the principles of "one man, one vote."

Wilfrid F. Pope, of Brompington, Que., who disappeared two and a half years ago under circumstances which led to the supposition that he had been murdered, has been found at Houston, Texas. He admits that his disappearance was planned to prevent objections from his relatives to his leaving home.

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the late Harold Christianson, who died on the Twentieth day of March, A. D. 1913, are required to send, to Mrs. Alice Christianson, at Post Office, Tees, Alberta, or to the undersigned, her Solicitors, on or before the 30th day of August, 1913, a full statement of their claims and of any securities held by them, duly verified, and that after that date the said Mrs. Alice Christianson will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of the said Mrs. Alice Christianson, administratrix of the said Estate, and the said Solicitors.

Dated at the Town of Lacombe, in the Province of Alberta, this 22nd Day of July, A. D. 1913.

NATHAN TAYLOR, Administrator of the Estate of deceased Laura Madeline Taylor.

MACDONALD & McBRIDE, Solicitors for the said Administrator. (J23-3c)

SUPREME COURT OF ALBERTA—JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF WETASKIWIN.

Between Charles West, Plaintiff and Patrick D. McEvoy and Peter Shoulte, Defendants.

To Patrick D. McEvoy and Peter Shoulte, the above named Defendants.

Take Notice that this action was commenced against you on the 19th day of June, 1913, to recover the sum of \$3,424.06, being the Principal Sum and Interest accrued thereon due by you to the Plaintiff under and by virtue of a Mortgage made in pursuance of the "Land Titles Act" and secured over the following property, viz:

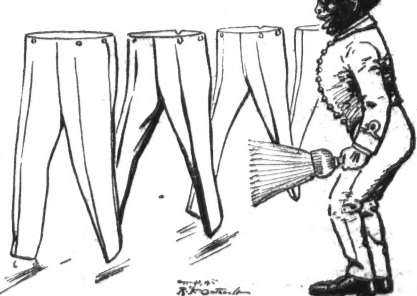
The South-east Quarter (1/4) of Section Four (4), Township Forty (40), Range Twenty-Eight (28), West of the Fourth (4th) Meridian in the Province of Alberta, of which property you are Registered owners.

And Further Take Notice that by order of the Court dated the 22nd day of July, 1913, you are required to appear on or before the 30th day of August, 1913, to cause an appearance to be entered for you herein at the office of the Deputy Clerk of Court, Red Deer, Alberta, and that in default of your so doing, the Plaintiff may proceed with this action and Judgment may be entered against you in your absence.

Dated at Lacombe, Alberta, this 22nd day of July, 1913.

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A Lecture on Australia

"Alberta," said Mr. Kelly last night at his meeting in the Lacombe City Hall, "is frequently referred to as 'The Last West.' Come for an hour with me tonight across the Pacific. There we have another, and a warmer, West. A fertile, fruitful West, bathed in the sunshine of southern skies, and still with in the boundaries of the world's great empire unexplored by the British flag—an island continent—Australia."

Mr. J. W. Arthur Kelly is in Canada as a special delegate of the government of Victoria to tell of their land settlement scheme. Why Australia should look to Canada, which is still engaged in the work of peopling her own sparsely lands, is not obvious. But the reasons given at last night's meeting are not without merit.

Mr. P. T. A. Frick, my representative for North America, the speaker said, "has had numerous enquiries for information at San Francisco from Western Canada, and I am here to try and give it. For the past 20 years I have been intimately acquainted with the land settlement scheme in now settling. I have just come from the land being back there. And my mission is to tell the facts as they are without embellishment and leave the rest to you."

According to last night's story the facts are largely these: The Government of Victoria, Australia, is of the opinion that the land in their Murray and Goulburn river district, that has been profitably used for growing merino wool and prime milling wheat for the past twenty years in large areas, can grow much better money-makers in small holdings. The soil is said to be rich and the climate an almost continuously growing one. The mean winter temperature being 61 degrees and the mean summer temperature 73 degrees "above zero," the speaker added dryly. The government therefore has acquired much of this land and having expended \$18,000,000 upon an extensive gravity irrigation scheme, has put the water on the land at a cost to the settler of \$1.25 per acre foot per annum. An acre foot, the lecturer explained, being equal in quantity to 12 inches of rainfall. They are selling this land to the settler upon extraordinary terms. The settler pays 5 per cent. on the land, and the money as a deposit, and then pays 6 per cent. per annum. This annual payment of 6 per cent. covers both purchase money and interest, and secures the freehold to the buyer in 24 years. He takes possession and enjoys full rights of ownership immediately he pays his 3 per cent. deposit. But he has always to reside and when he sells his buyer has to reside on the land. The land is described as having been in its wild state, heavily timbered with grey box and some pine, and being within 120 to 140 miles by existing railroad of Melbourne, the capital and chief shipping port of the state, a city of 600,000 people, considerably more population than the whole of our province. The price of the land varies from \$50 to \$100 per acre. Special prominence was given last night to the fact that the Northern Victoria, which was compared to Southern California and Southern Italy. To the wonderful results obtained in growing alfalfa, the statement being made that four, five, and even six cuttings are obtained in a season, to the advantages to fruit growers of the reverse season Victoria enjoys, and to the short railway haulage producers have in that country. The railways are all government owned and worked in Australia.

The lecturer talked as one with a mastery of his subject in all its practical bearings and with a quiet earnestness that carried more weight than any arts of oratory could do. A lot of questions were asked and answered before the meeting closed.

Some views of Victoria were shown by a lady lanternist illustrating the lecture. Land as level as our levellest prairie and fine samples of growing crops of wool and of fruit. Also well-wooded stock, orchards in full bearing, and alfalfa fields, and irrigation storage reservoirs and ditches that is mainly responsible for the results obtained.

MR. DOOLEY ON DRINK.

Perhaps we may intrude upon Finley Peter Dunne's copy-right long enough to quote

from the latest talk of "Mr. Dooley," Mr. Dooley, in the Chicago Tribune, discourages us on the recent trial of an editor for libelling Roosevelt, and winds up with a talk on the liquor business generally.

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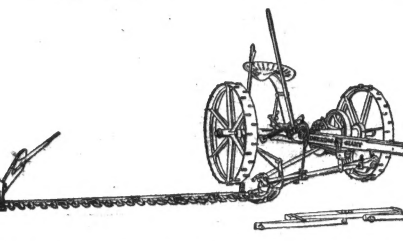
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STOCKMEN WILL RAID CANADA

Chicago, July 14.—Just as soon as the tariff barrier is knocked down by a stroke of President Wilson's pen, stockmen will raid Canada from one end to the other. There is a farming cavity hereabouts that would not be filled if a million stockmen could be thrown in to it. Fat steers may be temporarily plentiful, but an attempt to restock a pasture at any of the markets is convincing evidence of the expense of riding the country is impossible. It is as easy to wear the average cattle owner away from his political convictions as to jar him loose from his cattle. Stock cattle trade at Chicago and Kansas City on a 7 to 8 cent basis. The 7-centers are not worth bragging about, but the 8-cent cattle require quality. These prices are possible at a season when few people put in cattle owing to the fact money is tighter than a drum, consequently they are eloquent of scarcity.

All through the cornbelt calves of the beef breeds are being contracted for delivery at "wasting" time next November at \$35 to \$40 per head, and that means 10 cents per pound. Down in Texas calves cannot be contracted at \$35 per head and yearlings now realizing that money are not prepossessing. These facts indicate what will happen a few weeks hence if the new corn crop gives a good account of itself.

Free cattle, and that outcome of the tariff wrangle at Washington is inevitable, means that Canada will be dragged from one end to the other by stocker dealers, even as they have run their fine toothed comb through the south and would clean up Mexico in short order if the belligerent elements down there would stop fighting long enough to permit cattle gathering. Ontario cattle are highly prized by cornbelt feeders as they are "pound makers." Their massive jaws and good digestion advertise their excellence and a four-load bunch sent to Chicago a few days ago from Toronto speedily found a purchaser, although, thanks to wretched railroad service, they reached Chicago in dilapidated condition at the moment when drought in Missouri and Illinois was forcing thousands of half fat steers to market. These Canadian cattle looking as though they had been driven across the Mexican desert and sold here at \$7.25 per cwt., but the Toronto speculator was nothing in pocket after he had paid freight, 27 1/2 per cent. duty and been mulcted for an outrageous shrink. The shipment was loaded at Toronto on Thursday and was scheduled to be on sale at Chicago on the following Monday, when it would easily have realized \$7.75 per cwt., but Monday found them at Windsor and Wednesday was well advanced when they reached Chicago, all tuckered out, to find the market 50 to 75c lower owing to the drought. Such railroad service is inexcusable and it tells why the live stock shipper is penalized in his operations. If the money represented by evaporation of live stock values through the slats of the cars annually, could be accumulated it would start a chain of national banks, or build a transcontinental railroad. As it is this wealth is wantonly wasted, doing nobody good.

Here is a tip to Canadian owners of stock cattle. Do not let mendacious speculators deceive as to their value. All contracts for future deliveries of Mexican cattle now being made provide that if such deliveries are not made before the tariff is removed, \$3 is to be added to the price. And the moment Wilson signs the new tariff bill, the value of every stock steer in Canada will appreciate. A Toronto slaughterer, discussing the free trade prospect, recently said: "It is the last thing we want, as there can be but one result. Buffalo and Pittsburgh traders will overrun Ontario and denude the province of its young cattle." That is just what will happen. Ontario feeders will be put on the same basis as feeders in the cornbelt, so far as their raw material is concerned. St. Paul and St. Louis City traders will spend some money in railroad fares in the Canadian west, the moment they get an opportunity to move them across the line. But these men are the law, while orders are piling on the desk. Dealers from both markets have been at Chicago recently, hungry for cattle, but in the general competition they did not fare well. But free trade in cattle ought to be a boon to both Canada and the United States. When a decently bred Shorthorn or

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CASES OF MENTAL TROUBLE.

It was not until the nineteenth century that humane and scientific treatment of the insane can be said to have begun, with the provision of hospitals for treatment instead of prisons for detention. Nothing is more to the credit of the advance of civilization than the improvement in the methods of dealing with insane persons. A recent departure in this respect is the provision of what may be termed first aid for the insane, that is to say, provision for the early diagnosis of insanity, and for the treatment best calculated to insure recovery in cases of mental diseases that are curable, and to place in the hands of the patient and properly treated. Needless to say, not all cases of incipient insanity are curable, however early they are taken in hand and however skillfully they are treated. But many North American curable cases are of the greatest importance that all cases of incipient insanity should be recognized at as early a date as possible, in order that serious trouble may be averted. Speaking of the advantage of this providing facilities for the examination and treatment of early cases of mental disorder, the New York Outlook says: "The early diagnosis of mental disorders would serve a more useful purpose than the detection of the 'half-insane,' and of those individuals, like Schrank, the would-be assassin of Colonel Roosevelt, in whose defective or disordered minds social and political ideas are so deformed and perverted that they must find expression in the assassination of men in public life."

MEDICAL REGISTRATION.

The action of the Ontario Medical Council in throwing down the barriers to reputable physicians who have practiced ten years in the Dominion will very soon be followed by other provincial medical bodies. For a quarter of a century it has been incumbent upon any doctor wishing to move from one province to another to pass a rigid examination before obtaining a license to practice. Ontario's move is the first step toward Dominion registration, an innovation greatly in the interests of the country at large. It will not be long before other professions such as law and engineering follow. The example of the medicals. What is more absurd than the fact that a graduate of Osgoode Hall must take the Alberta examinations before he can practice in this Province? A McGill graduate in engineering must take the Dominion land survey before he can survey Dominion lands and then must take a special Provincial examination before he can survey lands in Manitoba and another examination before he can survey lands in Alberta. Ostensibly the multiplicity of Provincial examinations and registrations is only so much red tape designed to maintain special privileges.

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When the average government employee, that is the fellow who is not in the office performing routine work, is appointed, he seems to think that he is given the job because it is thought by the powers that be that he is a mighty influence, and can do anything he wants all the year around. And this is where he falls down.

If he would only remember that there are as many citizens with opposite views to his, and that he is supposed to serve them, too, he would be in the ideal job. If he keeps on bawling in to the political game his job is practically certain for life, as it should be, as a man who stays in a government position for a few years becomes almost totally unfitted for any other work; but if he goes around with the idea that the fate of the government hangs on him, and that he must save the country at any cost, making himself conspicuous at election times, his name is "Dennis." Up to date no government has remained in power for ever in Canada. The government is bound to change sooner or later, and when it does the employee who takes an active part in politics will be out in the cold, cold world. And quite properly so.

Frenzied Financing

The Calgary News-Telegram has a proposal for providing money to run the Alberta Government and cities that, to say the least, is surprising. It is simply for the Dominion Government to lend it to them. This looks very simple. It is more than simple—it is foolish. Look at how it would work out. The Alberta Government is in difficulties because it was incompetent—or worse, Premier Sifton by a high-handed act, illegally confiscated the A. & G. W. funds, plunging the Province into a position from which he does not seem able to extricate her. The suggestion is that the Dominion help him out. Would this not be an invitation to all the Provincial Governments to plunge without caution, and expect the Dominion Government to help them out. Most towns and cities are cautious in borrowing. But a few are very incautious. The proposal is for the Dominion Government to lend money to those cities that have destroyed their own credit. The Dominion Government has no control over the Provincial Government or the various city and town Governments. To lend money to them would require a complete change in our constitution to allow the Dominion to control the Provinces if they are to make good by loan their deficits. Those loans would have to be repaid some time. If made to one Province the others would demand the same treatment. If loans are made to some towns they would have to be made to every town and city in the Dominion. It would mean confusion and chaos. In a short time the credit of the Dominion would be no better than that of the Province today.

If the Government of the Dominion or the Province is ready to go into the loaning business the place to begin is with the farmers. Their security is absolutely safe. They are paying eight to ten per cent. interest. The cities cry out if they have to pay six. Why should the Government step in to help them and let the farmer pay the highest interest—or do without. The more the whole proposal is examined the more foolish it appears. But it will not go far, as the Government will never seriously consider a scheme so wild, and if it would, the elector would promptly turn them out.

Tammany Methods in Alberta

To many people, Tammany, of New York, is the epitome and essence of all political villainy. In reality it is no worse than many other political plots in many places. The great evil of it lies in the fact that a bunch of men have secured sufficient influence to coerce those who will not support either organization. If a man will not do as they wish them to do, they will use their influence to keep him out of employment. The man who will vote as the machine dictates, they will assist. What Tammany attempted to do was to intimidate voters so that they dare not vote other-

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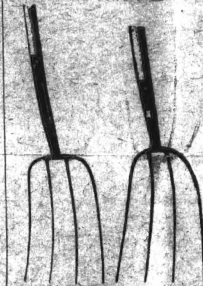
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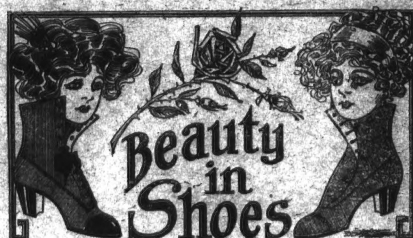
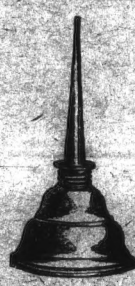
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Alberta Rich in Oil and Gas

Calgary, July 22.—That there is more oil and gas in the Province of Alberta than any resident even dreams of, and that within a few years there will be outlets at work all over Alberta drilling for oil and gas, while the Province will be noted all over the world for the immense oil and gas fields that will be uncovered, is the statement of Newton Brown, of Oswego, New York, one of the best known experts on the American continent, and representative of the Well Supply Company of Oswego.

Mr. Brown passed through Calgary yesterday on his way to Edmonton, where he will interview members of the Government, and obtain information for his company regarding the oil and gas resources of the north. He has already visited the fields southwest of this city and has also been north of Edmonton looking into the prospects there.

"There is more oil and gas in this country than anyone thinks there is," he said yesterday, "and I believe that in a short time rigs will be at work all over the Province. The opportunities here are unparalleled, and it is on account of the wonderful reports that we have received in the east that I am here at the present time looking into conditions, so that we will be in a position to take care of any rush that might arise in the future."

Mr. Brown is very confident that oil in vast quantities will be struck in Alberta in the near future, but could say nothing about where the first gusher was likely to be found.

"The whole country is full of oil and gas, I am convinced of that," he said, "and it is only a question of a short time before it is found. There are now about a dozen rigs at work in various parts of the Province, and it will not be long before results are obtained. It is hard to say where the first field will be more than one field, and there will be among the biggest oil and gas fields in the world when they are finally located."

Church of England and Temperance

The Anglican synod, just before its close, dealt with the subject of temperance, the chief point raised being that, while provincial legislation is probably ample to cope with all needs, the law is not enforced with the strictness that some enactments are. The clergy and laity, but the former especially, may be interested to learn that the Alberta temperance and moral reform league has used every available effort to get the liquor ordinance enforced at the meeting by the department of the attorney-general, but has been obstructed in its operations by powerful influences. A glance at the membership of the executive of that league, and a study of the proceedings at its meetings, as well as at its annual convention, will show that even when the gathering was held in Calgary, only two clergymen of the Church of England attended, and they came long distances, but not a single representative of that church of all the clergy living in Calgary, from the bishop to the latest ordained deacon, put in an appearance on either of the three days of the convention which held three sessions daily. If the clergy of that church are so anxious to have legislation in the interests of temperance enforced, they should give their league their active support, and insist that the bishops of Saskatchewan and Qu'Appelle give their personal attention to the league of the sister province, where the Church of England co-operates with all the other religious bodies in the province to further its objects and extend its usefulness and influence. It is a case of "united we stand, divided we fall." The Church of England cannot do anything practical by passing resolutions if it does not co-operate with the other churches and help to fight the battle by personal effort, for mere passive resistance is no assistance in mitigating an evil which all right-minded persons deplore, but which can only be accomplished by that unity which will force the hand that refuses to be led. If this end be attained the discussion at the synod is likely to bear fruit, otherwise the province will only have been so much time lost that might profitably have been devoted to other subjects.

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